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Does HIV Cause AIDS? New Book Highlights Work of Virologist Whose Research Contradicted Official Narrative

"Serious Adverse Events: An Uncensored History of AIDS" is the outgrowth of journalist Celia Farber's decades-long investigation into and writing about Peter Duesberg, who since 1987 has insisted that HIV doesn't cause AIDS.

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Serious Adverse Events
An Uncensored History of AIDS
CELIA FARBER
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Story at a glance:

- Journalist Celia Farber is the author of "Serious Adverse Events: An Uncensored History of AIDS." In it, she highlights the work of virologist and retrobiologist Peter Duesberg, who since 1987 has insisted that HIV doesn't cause AIDS.
- According to Duesberg, retroviruses such as HIV are harmless and do not cause disease. And, up until Dr. Robert Gallo claimed he'd discovered HIV in his laboratory in 1984, and determined that it caused AIDS, this was the scientific consensus.
- Duesberg was vehemently attacked by AIDS researchers and activists, and internationally discredited by the media for not going along with the AIDS narrative promoted by the medical establishment, led by Dr. Anthony Fauci.
- As with COVID-19, one of the key tools used to promote the "HIV causes AIDS" narrative was the use of the PCR test. There are also other similarities to what happened with COVID-19, including the vilification and discrediting of scientists and therapies that could effectively address the disease.
- Bactrim was an inexpensive generic drug that effectively treated AIDS-related pneumocystis carinii pneumonia, which was frequently fatal. This drug, like ivermectin, was withheld. Instead, Fauci insisted AIDS patients be treated with AZT, a horrendously toxic and expensive cancer drug that was never proven to work, and which killed an estimated 300,000 AIDS patients, most of them gay men.

In this video below, I interview journalist Celia Farber about her recently republished book, "Serious Adverse Events: An Uncensored History of AIDS."

As a young reporter working for SPIN magazine, Farber started questioning the official narrative around AIDS, and this book is the outgrowth of her decades-long investigation into and writing about this "hot potato" topic.

Long before censorship went mainstream, Farber was put through the wringer.

In 2006, she published an article in Harper's Magazine titled "Out of Control: AIDS and the Corruption of Medical Science." In it, she highlighted the work of virologist and retrobiologist Peter Duesberg, who insisted that HIV doesn't cause AIDS.

In my view, Duesberg was brilliant, but like so many other brilliant scientists, he was widely discredited for not going along with the narrative promoted by the conventional medical establishment.

As a result of her reporting, Farber was vehemently attacked by leading AIDS researchers and activists, so much so, she ended up suing three of the attackers for defamation.

The New York County Supreme Court dismissed her claim in 2011 and upheld the verdict in 2013. Still, she did not quit or back down, and kept searching for the truth.

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'The Passion of Duesberg'

As explained by Farber, Duesberg worked at the Max Planck Institute in Germany, one of the most well-respected scientific institutions in the world. After moving to the United States, he became a professor at the University of California, Berkeley.

In 1987, he published a paper in Cancer Research, proposing that retroviruses are not the cause of cancer, nor the cause of AIDS. According to his scientific biographer, this was the paper that "sealed his scientific doom forever after."

Farber noted:

> "Duesberg mapped the genetic structure of retroviruses. So to him, yes, they were entities, but no, they didn't do anything. They didn't infect or kill cells. They were harmless. And he had phrases like, 'HIV, that's a pussycat. It's not going to do anything. Saying that HIV is going to cause AIDS is like saying you're going to conquer China by killing three soldiers a day.'
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> "In other words, there's no 'there' there. There was no cell death. And fascinatingly, or disturbingly, the HIV orthodoxy never contested that. So, I would say they had a supernatural belief in HIV. They would say, 'We just know HIV causes AIDS,' and anybody who doesn't know that is dangerous, homophobic, murderous and so forth."

Mid-air flip in the 'scientific consensus'

As explained by Farber, up until Dr. Robert Gallo claimed he'd discovered HIV in his laboratory in 1984, and determined that it caused AIDS, the scientific consensus had been that retroviruses, as a class, were not pathogenic.

"So, there's this very strange midair complete flip where everything changes overnight," Farber said.

Farber continued:

> "It's like a revolutionary change, and the classical scientists of integrity were so thrown by this. They didn't even attend the press conference.
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> "They didn't think there was any chance, as they said, that this would fly, this press conference where Robert Gallo announces that a so-called retrovirus is the cause of AIDS.
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> "Back to Peter. What he does that's so monumental in the history of American science, post-1980s, is that he, first of all, dissents. And he has no idea that he's doing anything dangerous, never mind career annihilating. And he's conducting himself as a scientist should. He's innocent in what he's doing, and it's like a building just falls on him.
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> "Next thing you know, his name becomes synonymous with 'wrong, dangerous, homophobic, murderous.' And then this culture kicks in where it becomes a sport and a career advancement to trash Duesberg if you have anything to do with AIDS research.
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> "It was gladiatorial. They went out of their way to come up with lurid and hideous things to say about him. And it went all over the international press. So, he became this scapegoat for the errors and crimes of [Dr. Anthony] Fauci's AIDS apparatus.
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> "Meanwhile, over in AIDS land, everything they were predicting and terrorizing people with was not coming true at all, was not panning out, whereas Duesberg's predictions and critiques were panning out exactly. And the more he was right and they were wrong, the more trashed he got.
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> "So, in a sense, what I've covered is not just about the nitty-gritty of the science and who's correct. It's about this moment of where science becomes, under Tony Fauci, 'woke.' It wasn't called woke then. It was then called political correctness.
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> "So, in other words, 'AIDS spreads like this or like that and is going to affect everybody,' because that's what we're supposed to say politically, not because that's true biologically or epidemiologically. So, we're all stuck now in this brand new era where you get flogged for observing 2+2 = 4.
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> "The question fascinated me because I just couldn't square the circle. How come these guys over here are all saying this, and then this top scientist is saying this, and then others rallied around him? Kary Mullis, who invented PCR, and was a staunch defender and friend of Duesberg, always said, 'He's absolutely right.'
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> "So, the dissent movement was saying, 'There must be proof in science.' Gallo provided no proof that HIV was the cause of AIDS or a coherent pathogen. So, it just kept growing and growing, and with a few exceptions, I had the field to myself. Nobody wanted to interview these people because it was absolutely radioactive to your career, and I can certainly attest to that.
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> "I actually didn't realize it was dangerous. I was naïve. And I was already way too far out at sea when the bludgeoning began and I realized how dangerous it, in fact, was, and that the people we were up against were of a much more dangerous variety than I had realized."

Fauci's legacy: A lifelong suppression of science

Farber's experience is proof positive that even four decades before Fauci sold us on his destructive COVID-19 protocols, he had the power to destroy people and convince the entire country to support a fake narrative.

According to Farber:

> "Let me speak a little bit how he did that, having lived through it. Let's say that an editor at a major magazine or newspaper became interested in a story and thought to get a reporter on it. Somehow, he had, I guess it was a surveillance network. He knew and went in there, and somehow the story dies. The reporter gets taken off it. The show gets canceled.
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> "I had one friend who had a major local ABC show. It was a new talk show, and he had Duesberg on and myself. The next thing you know, the whole show is canceled, and he never worked again. It was GDR [German Democratic Republic] stuff and it was across the board. It was 100% consistent that anybody who touched it [was warned they'd be destroyed] … That was their word, 'destroy.'
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> "One top-level AIDS researcher named John P. Moore sent out an open declaration of war [against AIDS] 'denialists' that said, 'We will crush you. We crush all of you.' So that was the climate of it. Now, after all these years, I'm realizing they were part of something much larger.
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> "They were part of this new revolutionary, post-modern, 2+2 does not equal 4 science. 'It is whatever we tell you it is.' They created that empire of terror during AIDS, for sure.
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> "It's just that not that many people knew about it because it was still within the corridors of certain risk groups and some unfortunate journalists or scientists who got caught up in it. Then with COVID, they threw a much bigger net because … it was a little more difficult to get people into the trap."

The PCR scam and suppression of useful drugs

As with COVID-19, one of the key tools used to promote the "HIV causes AIDS" narrative was the use of the PCR test, which the inventor, Mullis, was vehemently against.

The PCR was used to measure "viral load," which was supposed to give you a sense of how sick or well you could expect to be. This kept HIV-positive patients going back to the doctor to get tested repeatedly. But it was nothing more than a numbers game, just as it was during COVID-19.

There are other similarities to what happened with COVID-19, including the vilification and discrediting of scientists and therapies that could effectively address the disease.

Just like they vilified ivermectin and hydroxychloroquine, even going out of their way to fund fraudulent studies to discredit these drugs, they did the same during the AIDS epidemic.

For example, Bactrim was an inexpensive drug that effectively treated AIDS-related pneumocystis carinii pneumonia, which was frequently fatal. This drug, like ivermectin, was withheld.

Instead, Fauci insisted AIDS patients be treated with AZT, a horrendously toxic and expensive cancer drug that was never proven to work, and which killed hundreds of thousands of AIDS patients.

Farber said:

> "AZT is one of the darkest, most shocking chapters. AZT was a chemotherapy compound that was shelved in the early '60s for being too toxic for human use. For reasons that cannot be fathomed, they pulled that compound out of the drawer, put it in capsule form and made it the first drug to treat AIDS, a condition of immune devastation.
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> "The estimate I've heard is that upward of 300,000, mostly gay men, died from high-dose AZT in the early years. That's 1,200 to 1,800 milligrams. All of a sudden, Fauci drops the dose to 500 mg and people start dying less, which incredibly he spun into that he was saving lives because they lowered the dose of what was killing people.
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> "So, a lot of these dark tricks are exactly the same as COVID. AZT was a black swan event, I would say, in medicine. But what it achieved, that we're still suffering from, was this demolition of the formerly conservative FDA drug approval process, which was turned into something bad, evil. 'You only support [the FDA drug approval process] if you hate people and you want them to die. You want it to take 10 years to test a drug? That's cruel.'
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> "So, a lot of what we're in today, like these insane ways of medicating and treating people without any regard for safety or possibility of death, a lot of these concepts were put into place during the AIDS epidemic."

AIDS activists played into Fauci's hands

Farber also reviewed how AIDS activists empowered Fauci to circumvent historical safety protocols to get experimental drugs to patients as quickly as possible. AIDS activists also acted as Fauci's foot soldiers or henchmen in that they helped him quash the opposition.

In many ways, we saw this during COVID-19 as well. People brainwashed into believing masks could block viruses, for example, acted as civilian enforcers of Fauci's clearly unscientific recommendations.

According to Farber:

> "It's a good question 'Who was Fauci in the beginning there?' How did he transform into somebody so ruthless, so unaccountable? And I'm being nice right now. As an historian of all of this, I place a lot of credence in the symbiosis between Fauci and the AIDS activists, because the AIDS activists were revolutionary, and they did have a revolutionary creed, which was, 'By any means necessary, we demand what we demand.'
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> "And [Fauci] was a bureaucrat. A trained Jesuit … I think he's a perfect general in a much bigger war that seeks to destroy many things outside of science. That's my take on it. I think this is the big international war that seeks domination over human beings, period. Full stop. And these spectral virus diseases are a good revolutionary tool to get us there.
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> "We made the mistake of seeing them as genuine outbreaks of something … I don't believe any of that anymore. I think this is all part and parcel of the great leap forward."

Fauci spent a lifetime undermining health wisdom

Farber continued:

> "One thing Fauci really honed over so many years is that nothing [but drugs or vaccines] makes a difference. There's no terrain. Nutrition doesn't matter. No research went to that, and it was absolutely scorned, again, both by Fauci and by the AIDS activists and so forth.
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> "So, it was a culture of 'You're a machine, you've got this bad bug in you.' It's the machine model of biology. The bad bug is eating up your T-cells on an algorithm that's inevitable and unstoppable, and nothing will influence that. Getting out in the sun, swimming in the ocean, eating well, what you think, whether you meditate or pray, none of that's going to affect it.
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> "So, in that sense, he's advocating for a complete inversion of everything we all know to be true about health. And that's really his legacy. He spent 40, 50 years getting Americans to think about everything else but how to stay healthy."

How we can undermine the public health tyranny

In addition to that, Fauci has also played a central role in furthering the ideology of technocracy and transhumanism, which aims to implement a One World Government under the veil of global biodefense. What we're facing now is public health tyranny, in the sense that food and medicine are being turned into tools to control and manipulate entire populations.

"With AIDS, there was still choice," Farber said.

Farber continued:

> "You were heavily brainwashed. But if you got tested and you tested HIV positive, you still had a choice to take the drugs or not. What they are going to do next is, of course, what we're all worried about.
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> "I think people are largely woken up, very much so. But does it matter how awake you are if they have seized control of the whole apparatus of functional life? That's what we have to stop, and I want to talk about how. How is that done? I think, by and large, it's done by keeping your body healthy, keeping your mind clear, keeping your soul clear, and then you can go from there.
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> "We can't necessarily control whatever they're going to try to do. But the good news is, to my mind, how stupid they are, how sloppy they are, how many mistakes they've made, and how much people hate them right now."

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Very interesting information here.
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You have to start there, you can't get around this.
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hneftafl → Rooftop Korean
9 hours ago
The PCR test is not a fraud, in and of itself. It was invented for a specific purpose, to make genetic testing more sensitive where only very small samples of genetic material are available.

The fraud comes in when the test is used inappropriately, or its results are manipulated or misrepresented.
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Fauci worked on depopulation before we knew what that ment.
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Again, viruses don't exist, which is why virologists need to chop-up into millions of molecules the DNN/RNA of supposed "viruses", then using what is called Alignment, rearrange the chopped-up molecules to mimic the template DNA/RNA sequence already in existence. Here's the rub, that template was, of course, chopped-up and rearranged to become the initial template

A process exists, and has so since the early 1970s, that can capture the complete DNA/RNA strands found within "viruses". It's called gel electrophoresis...

"Gel electrophoresis is a technique used to separate DNA fragments according to their size. DNA samples are loaded into wells (indentations) at one end of a gel, and an electric current is applied to pull them through the gel. DNA fragments are negatively charged, so they move towards the positive electrode."

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...but if this technique was used, then virologists would clearly see that what they were dealing with were human DNA/RNA from exosomes,* not viral DNA/RNA.
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The historical comparison between Fauci and ACTUP is Goebbels and the Nazi Brownshirts.
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pcl
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I'm open-minded about this kind of thinking, but if HIV didn't cause AIDS, what did? There was something in the bodily fluids that caused it to be passed from one person to the next. Was it a bacterium, or a prion, or some other virus? Were there any leads on this?

PS: Any mention of Fauci should include the story of the kids his NIAID killed in NYC while using them as guinea pigs for the testing of proprietary AIDS drugs. The BBC documentary "Guinea Pig Kids", which includes a view of a mass grave in Hawthorn, NY, was still up on YT the last I checked. If they take it down, search for it on Rumble, Bitchute, or some other non-censored platform.
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AIDS was caused by a number of factors. It was caused by a hepatitis vaccine (1979 NYC I believe) that was quickly pulled from the market. Then, the larger outbreak (prior to AZT) was characterized by the use of 'poppers' (alkyl nitrites), which are vasodilators that were extremely popular in the gay community in the late 70's and through the 80s. I'd rather not get into why they were popular. I read somewhere that 96% of AIDS (not HIV) patients used poppers. It was then caused by AZT, the Fauci-promoted chemo drug that was so toxic, it destroyed the patient's immune system, just like HIV was purported to do.

The same playbook was used for Covid-19. Same symptoms as the flu season, which is just a molting of the toxins in a patient's respiratory system triggered by a change in humidity. Have the media spin some narrative about how your symptoms are somehow different this time. People rush to the hospital all panicked, are prescribed remdesivir, one of the biggest side effects of which is shortness of breath. Having trouble breathing? Intubation is the solution with a 90% mortality rate. Hospitals get paid $13,000 for a positive Covid diagnosis -- which is totally bogus since the virus has never been isolated, rendering the PCR test for the virus bogus as well -- receive a 20% rebate on the patient's entire hospital bill if they prescribe remdesivir, receive $39,000 for intubation; and another $13,000 if the patient dies of Covid in the hospital - a veritable killing factory. You can't make this up. For the avoidance of doubt, approximately 55,000 Americans die of the 'flu' each year (with a wide standard deviation) as they cannot handle the molting (detoxifying) of their respiratory system. Returning to Covid, since the hospitals killing everyone is conflated to be a horrible virus, the only solution is a vaccine that is far more toxic and deadly than any disease.
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Many things can weaken people's immune systems such as viral and bacterial infections, all the toxins created by chemical industries and toxic heavy metals, chronic dehydration, chronic stress and chronic activation of the sympathetic nervous system, fatty liver disease, oxygen or glucose deficiencies and micronutrient deficiencies.
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My question is why so little elaboration on the PCR 'test' fraud?
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GRgal
an hour ago
I had long wanted to watch Dallas Buyer's Club but it's not on any streaming service and the PTB have really made it hard to find online to rent or buy. Took me an hour and had to buy it from Google. Glad I did. I don't know how closely it resembles the true story on which it's based, but it didn't touch on PCR fraud. It was mostly about AZT toxicity and ineffectiveness, the trials that were killing asymptomatic patients with high doses, the lack of informed consent, the FDA's grim bullying to prevent any American with HIV from accessing natural or off-label treatment or information on such, and stopping doctors from telling patients the truth on AZT or prescribing off-label drugs. So I was surprised to see the statement at the end of the film claiming that AZT at lower dose in combo with other drugs has saved thousands of lives, and that AIDS is not over. This movie was released in 2013. I thought it was crystal clear by then that AZT was ineffective and harmful to every patient at any dose, whether alone or in combo with anything else. So that statement at the end of the movie was just pure propaganda programming. Inserted by the long reach of Tony Fauci, no doubt.
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LIBERA NOS
2 hours ago
"And [Fauci] was a bureaucrat. A trained Jesuit."

IMO Fauci is an evil man. However, going to a school (Holy Cross) and being taught by members of the Jesuit (The Society of Jesus) Order does NOT automatically make one a Jesuit. Jesuits are ordained Roman Catholic priests.
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peakchoicedotorg
6 days ago
Christine Maggiore is a name worth searching. She was HIV positive and didn't believe it could cause AIDS. She died of the disease for her denial. I doubt CHD will let this comment stay up.
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She won't have died of AIDS. They nearly all die of pneumonia, or pneumocystis pneumonia. Whenever a celeb dies of pneumonia everyone nowadays just thinks AIDS. They had a cure for this type of pneumonia also in the 50s called pentamidine but it was hardly ever given to anyone as they could only detect the presence of HIV after death at autopsy BEFORE 1977 when a new test became available. This is all in Chapter 13 of Jon Rappaports book Aids inc.
What is in a different book, Flood your body with oxygen by Ed McCabe is alarming. They showed proof to Fauci in 1992 of over 200 people who were HIV positive who became HIV negative after using ozone therapies. He said they must not have had the disease to start with. That bit of info should be in all articles about AIDS but never is for some reason. They don't want anyone knowing about ozone treatments as that is one major reason why they could never use an EUA (emergency use authorisation) ever again as it is a cure all and they have known this for over 100 years but will never let anyone know this.
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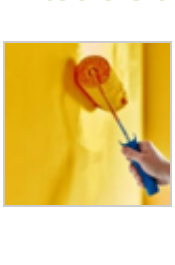

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